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Urea and Nitrogen Based Compounds)
as Feeding Stimulants/Aggregants)
And Masking Agents of Unpalatable)
Chemicals For Subterranean Termites)

Serial No. 09/748,036)

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The Honorable

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Sir:

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Applicants are in receipt of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (enclosed), dated March 26, 2001. The specification has been examined and Applicant's representative can find no instance of incorrect margins in this application. Applicants respectfully request this Notice be withdrawn and the specification be considered as "FORMAL". If this request is denied, Applicants respectfully request that specific instances of incorrect margins be provided and/or the changes that are necessary to place the application in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52.

Respectfully submitted,

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
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